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APPELLANT(S) Peter J. Armbruster et al. GROUP ART UNIT: 2686
APPLN. NO.: 09/997,515 EXAMINER: Randy Peaches
FILED: November 29, 2001 Confirmation No. 5017
TITLE: ROAMING SERVICES USING HOME LOCATION REGISTER

BRIEF ON APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please consider the following Brief on Appeal for the above identified patent application assigned to Motorola, Inc.

I. REAL PARTY IN INTEREST

The subject application is assigned to Motorola, Inc., the real party in interest.

II. RELATED APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

To Appellants' knowledge, there are no related appeals or interferences.

III. STATUS OF CLAIMS

1. Claims 2-3, 5-8, 11-13, 15-17 and 21 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Gentry et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,453,162).
2. Claims 4 and 14 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103 as being unpatentable over Gentry in view of Torabi (U.S. Patent No. 6,754,482).

Summary

Appellants therefore pray for the reversal of the final rejection and the allowance of the subject application.

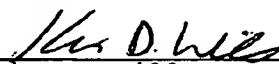
Respectfully submitted,

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Complete if Known

Application Number

Filing Date

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Examiner Name

Group Art Unit

Attorney Docket No.

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

(\$ 780.00)

METHOD OF PAYMENT

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Deposit Account Name

Motorola, Inc.

- ☒ Charge Any Additional Fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☐ Payment Enclosed:

☐ Check☐ Credit Card☐ Money Order☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late Provisional filing
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification
147	2520	147	2520	For filing a request for ex parte Reexamination
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
113	1840*	113	1840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month
118	1440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month
128	1960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing
138	1510	138	1510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable
141	1280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional
142	1280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)
126	180	126	180	Submission of IDS
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application

Other fee (specify)

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BASIC FILING FEE

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106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 740.00)

EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Previously Paid**	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
20	20	0	18	0
Independent Claims	3	0	84	0

Multiple Dependent

280 = 0

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20	
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109	84	209	42	* Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210	9	* Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 0)

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